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06                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
07                   WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
08                   AT SEATTLE

09                   UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,                 )  
10                                  Plaintiff,                         )  
11                                  v.                                 ) Case No. MJ09-18  
12                           ALVIN HENRY WHITESIDE             ) DETENTION ORDER  
13    Defendant.             )  
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15                   Offenses charged:

16                   Count 1:       Felon in Possession of a Firearm, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)

17                   Date of Detention Hearing:   February 17, 2009.

18                   The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and  
19                   based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth,  
20                   finds the following:

21                   FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

- 22                   (1)      The evidence against defendant is strong. Defendant admitted he should not  
23                   have firearms but kept at least one for his own protection from his “enemies.”  
24                   (2)      Just months before the arrest in this matter, defendant was found guilty of  
25                   possession of a firearm, in violation of his supervision.  
26                   (3)      Defendant has a lengthy criminal history.  
                 (4)      Defendant has multiple failures to appear and supervision violations.

01                   (5)     Defendant has on-going substance abuse problems.  
02                   (6)     Defendant is associated with multiple names and dates of birth.  
03                   (7)     There are no conditions or combination of conditions other than detention that  
04 will reasonably assure the appearance of defendant as required or ensure the safety of the  
05 community.

06                   IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 07                   (1)     Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
08                   Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the  
09                   extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in  
10                   custody pending appeal;
- 11                   (2)     Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation  
12                   with counsel;
- 13                   (3)     On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the  
14                   government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant  
15                   is confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the  
16                   purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and
- 17                   (4)     The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
18                   counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United  
19                   States Pretrial Services Officer.

20                   DATED this 17th day of February, 2009.

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22                   JAMES P. DONOHUE  
23                   United States Magistrate Judge